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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: ETRD, GATT

SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR INFORMATION ON STATUS OF
TRADE BILL

REF: STATE 213799

1. APPRECIATE GUIDANCE REFTTEL.

2. BRITISH OFFICIALS ARE KEENLY INTERESTED IN FOLLOWING
THE PROGRESS OF THE TRADE REFORM ACT THROUGH CONGRESS.

THIS APPLIES NOT ONLY TO OFFICIALS AT THE DEPARTMENT

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OF TRADE AND INDUSTRY WHO ARE DIRECTLY RESPONSIBLE FOR

TRADE POLICY, BUT ALSO TO THE OFFICIALS AT THE FCO,
CABINET OFFICE AND MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE WHO ARE
RESPONSIBLE FOR BRITISH POLICY TOWARD THE EC, AS WELL
AS THOSE RESPONSIBLE FOR UK-US RELATIONS. RECENT
ACTION ON MFN PROVISIONS HAS HIGHLIGHTED THIS INTEREST.

3. WE WOULD THEREFORE APPRECIATE RECEIVING DETAILS ON
WHEN BILL IS LIKELY TO GO TO THE FLOOR OF THE HOUSE,
THE RULE GOVERNING DEBATE IN THE HOUSE, THE TIMING OF
THE HOUSE VOTE, AND PROCEDURES FOR SENATE CONSIDERATION.

4. IT WOULD ALSO BE USEFUL TO HAVE REGULAR SUMMARIES
OF THE PROGRESS OF THE BILL AS THE SITUATION CHANGES.

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